

PETERSBURG WAS EASY

Phenoms Take The Visitors' Scalps By A Score of 15 to 7.

Portsmouth Loses To Hampton—Richmond Wins From Newport News—The Three Teams Which Started Out In The Lead Still At The Head Of The Column—Local Game In Detail.



THE STATE LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Richmond	8	1	.889
Hampton	7	1	.875
Norfolk	6	2	.750
Portsmouth	3	6	.333
Petersburg	1	8	.111
Newport News	1	8	.111

The "Phenoms" had no trouble defeating the "Farmers" yesterday afternoon at League Park. Indifferent fielding by the visitors and timely batting and daring base running by the home team gave them an easy victory. The boys from Petersburg must have had a bad case of stage fright, while their batting was good they fielded poorly.

Petersburg started the run-getting in the first inning by a base on balls, a single, a double and a triple, which sent four men across the rubber.

Norfolk scored in every inning but two. They hit the ball and ran bases for keeps. Their fielding was of the sensational order.

NORFOLK.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Spratt, 2b.	4	1	3	3	0	0
Jim Smith, s.	4	3	2	2	0	0
J. Smith, r. f.	5	4	5	3	0	0
Armstrong, c.	5	0	1	4	1	0
Sullivan, 3b.	5	1	1	2	5	0
Pulsifer, l. f.	5	0	0	1	0	0
Nelson, 1b.	5	0	0	0	0	0
McCloud, p.	5	1	0	0	0	0
Matthews, c. f.	5	2	1	3	0	1
Total	44	15	12	27	12	1

PETERSBURG.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
O'Brien, 2b.	4	1	0	1	2	0
Holland, c. f.	4	1	2	2	0	1
Hennegan, 3b. & s. s.	5	1	1	1	2	3
Kelly, l. f. & 3b.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Hunt, c.	5	2	2	1	4	0
Keefe, 1b.	4	0	1	10	0	1
McCaffrey, r. f.	3	1	2	1	0	0
Clinton, s. s. & l. f.	4	0	1	3	1	3
Millard, p.	4	0	0	1	2	1
Totals	38	7	11	24	11	12

Summary: Earned Runs—Norfolk, 6; Petersburg, 7. Two-base Hits—John Smith, Kelly, Hunt. Three-base Hits—Hunt, John Smith, Stolen Bases—Armstrong (3), Spratt (3), Matthews (2), John Smith, Hunt, Keefe, O'Brien, McCaffrey (2). Double Plays—Jim Smith, Spratt and Nelson. Bases on Balls—Off McClell, 3; off Millard, 2. Struck Out—By McClell, 3; by Millard, 2. Wild Pitch—Millard, 2. Hit by Pitched Ball—McCaffrey. Left on Bases—Norfolk, 7; Petersburg, 9. Umpire—Mitchell. Time of Game—2:05.

Notes of the Game. Whoop! Another scalp! It was easy! Portsmouth struck a surprise in that little town of Hampton.

Kelly—the same old "Kel"—is with the "Farmers" again.

There seems to be a lack of team work in the ranks of the Petersburg.

Pitcher Dannewer, Norfolk's "South paw," is expected here to-morrow.

Old Harry Keefe, well-known here, is covering first for the "Farmers."

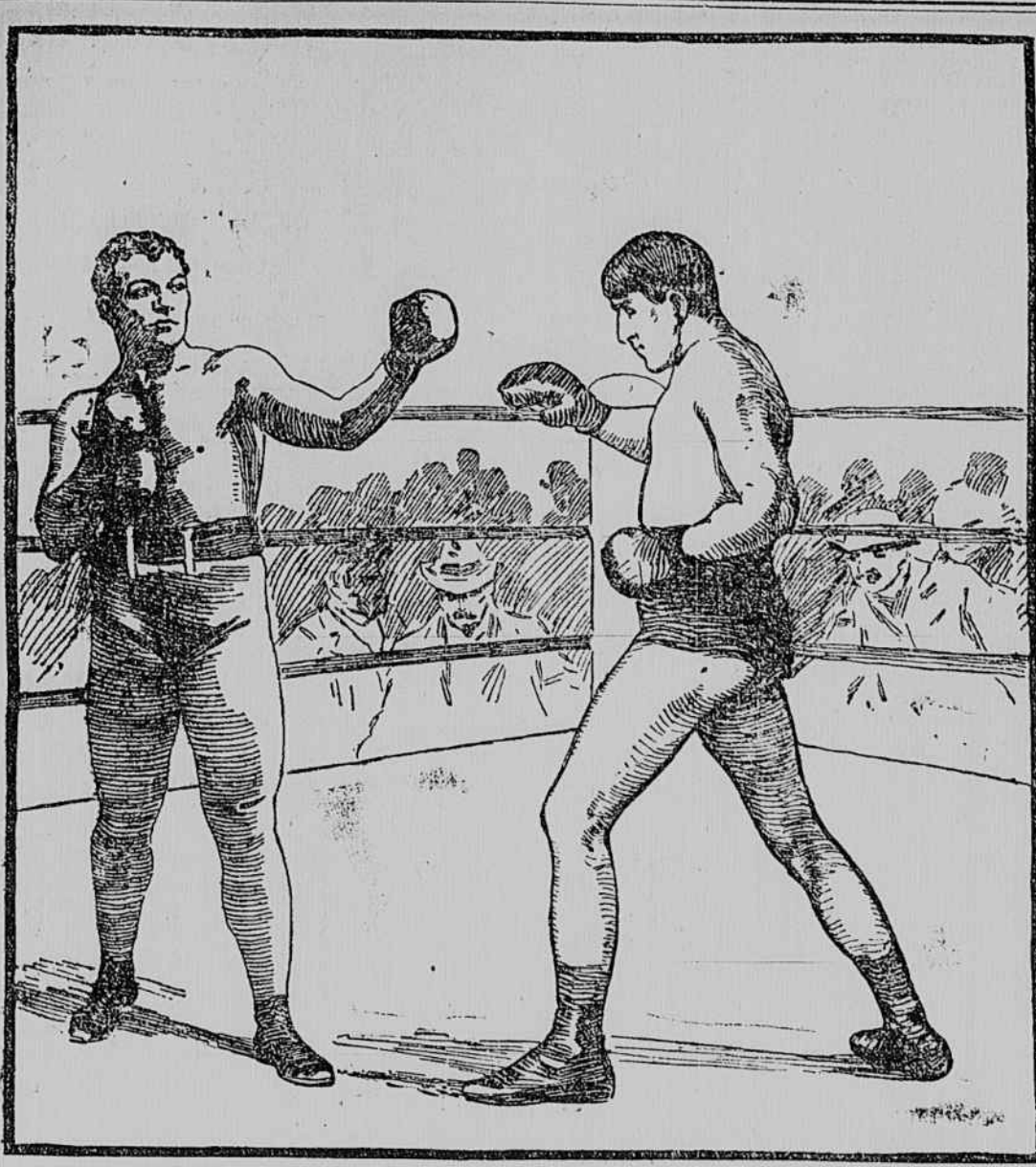
Jimmy Smith covered his ground at the Herman Long yesterday. Keep at it, Jim!

"Old Phenom" Smith had his batting eye yesterday.

In Spratt and Jim Smith Norfolk has two of the fastest base runners in the league.

St. Mary's Academy ball team and the High School Juniors played a game of baseball at the Y. M. C. A. Park, in Ghent, yesterday afternoon, the former winning by a score of 12 to 11. The feature of the game was the three-base hit by Barry, of the St. Mary's. Master Lee Lawler also played well in the field. The St. Mary's boys expect to play a game with the Old Point College team in the near future. That they will give a good account of themselves goes without saying.

The batteries in yesterday's game were: High School Juniors, "Creepers" and Mason; St. Mary's, Barry and Barrett.



CHAMPION JEFFRIES AND EX-CHAMPION CORBETT IN THE RING.

Ex-Champion James J. Corbett is said to be in excellent form for his great battle with Champion Jim Jeffries at the Seaside Sporting Club, Coney Island. Corbett weighs about 180 pounds and is said to be about 30 per cent better than when he fought Sharkey. Jeffries, the giant boiler maker, tips the scales at about 212 and expects to beat Corbett with ease.

At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Kansas City, 2.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 12; Milwaukee, 5.
At Buffalo—Buffalo, 2; Minneapolis, 4.
At Montreal—Montreal, 9; Worcester, 6.

U. VIRGINIA, 17; ROANOKE COLLEGE, 2.
University of Virginia, May 10.—Virginia had a walk-over with Roanoke College here today, defeating them in a one-sided game.

PITTSBURG DEFEATS CHICAGO.
Pittsburg, May 10.—The only feature in the game to-day was Everett's dump play in the seventh. Ritchey dumped the ball almost to first base and stopped running. Instead of touching the bag, Everett tried to catch Beaumont at third. Later Beaumont scored the winning run on Tannehill's long fly. Attendance, 2,500.

The Races at Harlem.
(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)
New York, May 10.—The Harlem Selling Stakes and the Crotona High Weight Handicap were the features of an attractive card at Morris Park today. Kinikinkine won the former by a neck from First Whip, and Dan Rice, who had the running, third, five lengths away. Mark Cheek, at 7 to 1, took the Crotona in easy style.

Summary.
First—Six furlongs. Contender, 7 to 5; Wither, 2 to 1 and 7 to 10; second: Wither, 8 to 1, third: Time, 1:15.

Second—Harlem Stakes, one mile, selling. Kinikinkine, 9 to 10; won; First Whip, 4 to 1 and 6 to 5; second: Dan Rice, 12 to 1, third: Time, 1:42 1/2.

Third—Six furlongs, selling. Presgrave, 7 to 5; won; Yorkshire Boy, 8 to 5 and 3 to 5; second: Billionaire, 5 to 1, third: Time, 1:14.

Fourth—Four furlongs. Halem Lane, 26 to 1; won; Cherries, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5; second: Sweet Lavender, 7 to 1, third: Time, 1:04.

Fifth—The Crotona High Weight Handicap. Six furlongs. Mark Cheek, 7 to 1; won; Gufalon, 7 to 2 and 7 to 5; second: Lady Lindsey, 12 to 1, third: Time, 1:14.

Sixth—One mile. Herbert, 5 to 1; won; Queen of Song, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5; second: Maximo Gomez, 8 to 1, third: Time, 1:42 1/2.

COTTON SPINNERS.

CONVENTION OPENED YESTERDAY AT CHARLOTTE.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)
Charlotte, N. C., May 10.—One of the largest assemblages of mill representatives ever held in the United States began a convention here to-day, the occasion being the fourth annual convention of the Southern Cotton Spinners' Association, which was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning. Five hundred mill men are in attendance, and it is estimated by conservative members that the total capital represented will aggregate \$500,000,000.

President J. H. McAden called the convention to order.

After congratulating the members of the association upon the large attendance at the convention, President McAden said:

"A long period of depression is at an end; every industry is prospering; every man who can work and will work can find employment at good wages. Money is easy, the finances of the country are on a sound basis, confidence is restored, a bright future awaits us, and we may confidently look for a period of industrial development unequalled in the history of the country. It gives us great pleasure to give you a cordial welcome at all our meetings. There will be no division of territory, no Mason and Dixon's line with the manufacturers. We are all together in one common interest and one common cause."

"We are endeavoring to convert the raw material into manufactured products and to find a good market in foreign countries. Our export trade alone with the empire of China without any organized efforts on our part will exceed \$25,000,000."

"We should favor and urge a permanent and vigorous policy on the part of our general Government in favor of the 'open-door' policy with the enterprise of China, and we should hold and govern the Philippine islands, which are destined to become the distributing centre of the Eastern world, and make our country the centre of Eastern civilization."

"I hope to see this association take decided action on this question of public policy."

"The great hope of the South is in its manufactures. We ask for no class legislation. With extended commercial relations with foreign countries, new territory opened before us, we can plant our products wherever our flag floats and successfully compete with the world."

"We should give strong expressions in favor of appropriations by the State governments for building and maintaining textile schools."

"There are many things we could do for our operatives—make tenement houses comfortable, adopt improved systems of sanitary and ventilation regulations, build churches and schools and provide libraries. We should do all in our power to erect a high standard of morals and elevate and dignify labor."

NECRO DISFRANCHISEMENT.

ADVOCATED, IN EFFECT, BY HON. BOURKE COCHRAN.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Montgomery, Ala., May 10.—Hon. Bourke Cochran, of New York, to-night scored the most brilliant success of the race conference in the closing oration. He boldly advocated the repeal of the fifteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution. He argued that it was a bad limb on the tree; that it had been nullified by the States; that it had been lynched, so to speak, by the people of the South. He declared that the reconciliation of the theoretical status of the negro under the Constitution should be reconciled with his actual status in the public opinion of the country. He maintained that this repeal was best for the negro as well as for the white man since both races had to live together, to prosper together or go down together. Every source of irritation between the two should be removed, and the fifteenth amendment was the greatest.

At the morning session of the conference the discussion chiefly was of the negro in relation to religion.

The morning speakers included Rev. D. Clay Lile, of Tuscaloosa; W. A. Guerry, chaplain of the University of the South; Rev. C. C. Brown, of Clinton, S. C.; the Very Rev. J. R. Staley, of Baltimore.

Bishop Renwick, of Baltimore, made a sensational speech, in which he said that from five to eight negroes in the North, under Northern conditions, committed crimes to one in the South.

Prof. W. F. Wilcox, a chief statistician of the United States census, a New Yorker by birth and ancestry, made a speech, declaring that the ultimate extermination of the black race was inevitable.

"There will be a rapid decrease of the birth rate and a slow increase of the death rate until the negro race will stand as the American Indian stands to-day," said Prof. Wilcox.

In the afternoon session Hon. Alex. King, of Atlanta, Ga., discussed the lynching question and "the punishment of crimes against women—existing legal remedies and their sufficiency."

He suggested that in a county where a lynching occurred a tax should be levied by the State authorities of not less than \$5,000 upon the citizens, and the amount appropriated to the school fund of the State.

Mr. King closed with a plea for the domination of law.

BERKLEY NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS

NEW DEPOT.

Will Receive And Forward Freight To All Points.

Will Be Open To The Public On The 15th Instant—Filling In The Streets Struck By Lightning—Entertainment Last Night—Personals.

The depot which is under construction at the corner of Liberty and Fourteenth streets will be open for business commencing May 15th, and merchandise and produce will be received and forwarded direct with same dispatch and at same rates as from Norfolk. Merchants and manufacturers in ordering goods should be sure and demand them forwarded direct to Berkley via New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad. Excellent facilities for handling produce and green stuff can be had at this station, making a big saving to truckers in this vicinity. J. G. Duncan will be in charge of this enterprise and any person desiring information can find him on the premises.

Excavations are being made for the foundations of the building, which will be 30x60 feet, two-story brick structure. It will be a general agency, receiving freight for all roads and points. As yet the promoters have not selected a name for this valuable addition to the town.

The City of Portsmouth, running on the Twin City's route between Portsmouth and Berkley, got a log caught in one of her wheels yesterday morning and lost several trips before it could be cleared.

CAR LOADS OF DIRT.
Through the efforts of Mr. J. H. Jacobs, chairman of the Street Committee, the Norfolk and Southern railroad has contributed sixty car loads of dirt to fill in the cesspool in the rear of the Home Fire engine-house, on Chestnut street. This pool for a long time has been a nuisance in that community and no doubt the citizens will very much appreciate this liberal action on the part of the Norfolk and Southern railroad.

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.
The entertainment given by the Young Girls' Society of the Berkley Avenue Baptist Church last evening at the residence of Mrs. George W. Simpson, on Berkley avenue, was largely attended and highly enjoyed by every one present. A program replete with recitations, games and other amusements was rendered and refreshments served.

STUCK BY LIGHTNING.
Last week, during that heavy electrical storm, lightning struck the residence of Mr. J. G. DeBann, in the county, and stunned his wife and daughter. One of the chimneys to the residence was cracked from the top to base and the furniture was badly damaged in the parlor and one of the bedrooms. The damages were partly covered by insurance.

The case of William Faulkner, Clinton Pretlow, colored, and a white man by the name of Legum, charged with engaging in a free fight among themselves on Liberty street, came before the Mayor yesterday morning and was dismissed, each paying his share of the costs.

This week, during the storm, an old boiler on the deck of a barge lying off St. Helena, rolled overboard. As yet no attempt has been made to raise it.

Dr. G. W. Wallace has returned from Gilmerton, where he spent several days at the old homestead.

Mrs. J. C. Simpson leaves to-day for White Plains, the home of her parents, to spend several days.

The "Stars and Stripes" and "Berkley Avenue" teams played a game of ball yesterday afternoon on Hardy's plat, resulting in a score of 13 to 7 in favor of the "Stars and Stripes."

The barge Israel V. Durham is loading lumber at the Norfolk and Southern for New York, and the barge Portsmouth completed taking on a cargo of piles yesterday also for New York.

Local politics is becoming somewhat animated. Some of the leaders are beginning to do active work for their respective tickets.

BERKLEY ADVTs.

REGISTER! REGISTER!—ALL young men, or new residents of Berkley, who may wish to exercise their right of suffrage at the coming election, remember, that SATURDAY, THE 12TH instant, is the last day that you can register or secure a transfer from one ward to another. Register, or you can't vote. By order of the DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. mail-21

NOTICE

TO BERKLEY TAX PAYERS
I can be found at W. L. Berkley's store every Saturday until the delinquent list is returned to Court, for the purpose of collecting the State Taxes, etc., of the Town of Berkley for the year 1899. Tax payers are requested to comply with the new law in regard to taxes, to save their property from the land grabbers. mat-eod10t M. C. KEELING.

NOTICE

State licenses for 1900 are now due. Parties who are doing a business without license are required to take out the same without further notice, or they will be dealt with according to law. I can be found at the Town Hall in Berkley every Saturday. *L. M. NICHOLAS, Commissioner of Revenue. Mas 2w

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Body Of Dr. Tabb Found.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)
Savannah, Ga., May 10.—The body of Dr. R. S. Tabb, of the United States Marine Hospital Service, who disappeared Monday of last week, was found to-day in Bonaventure Cemetery. Presumably he had committed suicide. Dr. Tabb was a Virginian, and had been stationed in Savannah about one year.

Our Flag Over Tutila.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)
Washington, D. C., May 10.—Assistant Secretary Hackett has received a report dated the 11th of April from Commander B. F. Tilley, commandant U. S. Naval Station, Tutila, Samoa, stating that he had that day conducted the ceremony of hoisting the American flag as symbolical of the protectorate of the United States over that island and the adjacent islands, together with the island of Manua.

Filipinos Defeated.

Manila, May 10.—The insurgents have suffered a heavy loss at Tabako, near Legaspi, Province of Albay, Luzon. Two hundred riflemen and 500 bolomen were preparing to attack the town, and Captain Lester H. Simons, when a company of the Forty-seventh Volunteer Regiment, advanced to meet them, and killed many. The insurgent leader, a native priest, was wounded and captured after his horse had been shot under him. Three Americans were wounded.